



## REMUNERATION TRIBUNAL

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### Explanatory Statement: Determination 2008/17 Remuneration and Allowances for Holders of Public Office

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1. The Remuneration Tribunal has inquired into and determined the remuneration and significantly related matters for office holders, as it is empowered to do by the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1973*.
2. In making this determination the Tribunal has informed itself through consultation in accordance with established practice.
3. Any retrospective application of this determination is in accordance with subsection 12(2) of the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003* as it does not affect the rights of a person (other than the Commonwealth or an authority of the Commonwealth) to that person's disadvantage, nor does it impose any liability on such a person.

#### **PART 1 – FULL-TIME OFFICES**

4. Clause 1.1 specifies the Principal Determination (Number 8 of 2008 as amended) for the purposes of Part 1 of the Determination.
5. Clauses 1.2 and 1.3 provide for an increased level of remuneration for the office of Official Secretary to the Governor-General, with effect on and from 1 July 2008.
6. Clause 1.4 corrects a drafting error made in a previous amending Determination (No 16 of 2008).

**Authority:** Sub-sections 7(3) and 7(4) of the *Remuneration Tribunal Act 1973*.